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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50 25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200 100
Multiple dependent claims	360 180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	
20 - 20 or HP =	0	x 0.00	= 0.00		
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20					
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Title: PYRROLIDINE MELANOCORTIN-SPECIFIC COMPOUNDS

STATUS INQUIRY

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Dear Sir:

The above-identified patent application was filed on February 10, 2004. Applicants last communication from the Patent Office was the Notice of Revised Projected Publication Date dated August 26, 2004.

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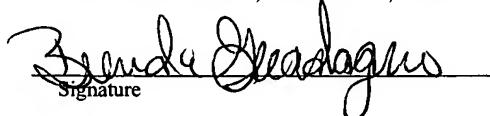
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